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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

BRIAN MANNING,

Plaintiff,

vs.

ALLSTATE INSURANCE COMPANY,
and DOES 1-30, Inclusive,

Defendants.

No. 3:08-cv-00238-JSW

STIPULATION RE REFERRAL TO
MAGISTRATE EDWARD M. CHEN

The parties, by and through their respective counsel of record, hereby stipulate and agree as follows and respectfully request that the Court approve and give effect to their stipulation:

WHEREAS, at the May 9, 2008 Case Management Conference, the Court invited the parties to consider stipulating to refer this matter to a magistrate judge for all purposes and

1 further advised that the parties could select the magistrate judge to whom the case would be
2 referred; and

3 WHEREAS, the parties are agreeable to the transfer of this matter to Magistrate Judge
4 Edward M. Chen for all purposes;

5 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED that, with the Court's approval, this matter shall be
6 transferred to Magistrate Judge Edward M. Chen for all purposes.

7 FILER'S ATTESTATION:

8 Pursuant to General Order No. 45, section X(B) regarding signatures, I attest under penalty of
9 perjury that the concurrence in the filing of this document has been obtained from its signatories.

10 By _____/s/_____
11 SONIA MARTIN

12 Dated: May 15, 2008

13 Respectfully submitted,
14 INSURANCE LITIGATORS & COUNSELORS

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16 By _____/s/_____
17 JOSEPH JOHN TURRI

18 Attorneys for Plaintiff
19 BRIAN MANNING

20 Dated: May 15, 2008

21 SONNENSCHN NATH & ROSENTHAL LLP

22 By _____/s/_____
23 SONIA MARTIN

24 Attorneys for Defendant
25 ALLSTATE INSURANCE COMPANY

26 IT IS SO ORDERED.

27 _____
28 Honorable Jeffrey S. White
U.S. District Court Judge

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